

CHAPTER NO. 752

SENATE BILL NO. 3764

By Kyle

Substituted for: House Bill No. 3800

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 140, Part 5,
relative to the "Emergency Medical Services Act of 1983".

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF
TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-140-504, is
amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated
subdivision:

() Certify paramedic training centers operated by a fire
department which operates its own fire training academy to provide
training for career paramedics employed by such fire department;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 140, Part 5, is
amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated
section:

68-140-5___. In order to be certified by the board pursuant to
Section 1 of this act, the training program offered by such paramedic
training center must follow the United States Department of
Transportation Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic National
Standard Curriculum. In addition only paid career members of a fire
department which operates its own fire training academy to provide
training for career paramedics employed by such fire department are
eligible to enter and graduate from such paramedic training program.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public
welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 8, 2006


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE


JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 23rd day of May 2006


PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR